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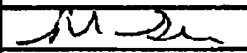
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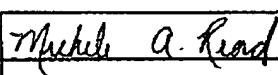
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	First Named Inventor	Laimute Jachnavicius
	Art Unit	2828
	Examiner Name	Tuan Nguyen
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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
50	25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

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Multiple dependent claims

360	180
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Applicant: Laimutis Jacinavicius, et al. Examiner: Tuan Nguyen
Serial No.: 10/785219 Group Art Unit: 2828
Filed: February 24, 2004 Docket No.: 01915.0002-US-01
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING A PULSED LASER
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This amendment is submitted in response to a telephonic interview with Examiner Nguyen. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on the next page. Remarks begin on page 9. There are no amendments to the specification or drawings. Further examination, reconsideration and allowance of the application respectfully are requested.

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